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Five generations of my family have called Windward Oahu their home and I am committed to the continued growth and preservation of our community for the future generations.

I attended Castle HS, King Intermediate, and Kaneohe Elementary, and the skills I gained there have been critical to my personal growth and success. I also earned a bachelor's degree in International Relations from the George Washington University.

My professional career has always been centered around how I can best help the greater community. In 2000 I was recognized by the Pacific Business News as one of the Top 40 Young Entrepreneurs Under 40, and I was a finalist in the 2002 Hawaii Jaycee's Three Outstanding Young Persons Awards.

One of the highlights of my career was starting a small business called Charitable Ventures in 2005. In just ten months, we helped over 40 groups and schools profit over \$89,000 through recycling. In order to better serve the community and expand our efforts statewide, we merged with Reynolds Recycling at the beginning of 2006.

Currently, I am the Director of Community Relations & Governmental Affairs at Reynolds. I have also served as the Development Director for the National Kidney Foundation, as Executive Aide to Lt. Governor Mazie Hirono, and interim Executive Director for the Democratic Party of Hawaii.

I have also volunteered with Lanakila Meals on Wheels, the 487th Family Readiness Group, and served as a volunteer mentor at the Koolau Youth Correctional Facility.